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# THE C. E. THOMAS NURSERIES

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SUITE 3, BRUEN-WEBB BUILDING

404½ ZACK STREET

TAMPA, FLORIDA

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CHICAGO OFFICE  
510 MONON BUILDING  
440 S. DEARBORN STREET

July 2, 1924.

Mr. H. P. Gould,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir;

Leases on two of our Nurseries containing twelve thousand orange and grapefruit trees have expired. The Owners of the land say that we must remove the trees during the next thirty days. To take these trees up and heel them out would mean heavy loss, and for that reason we will make you a sacrifice price on this particular lot of trees.

The enclosed price list gives our regular prices. Our sacrifice Sale prices are as follows - Size  $\frac{3}{8}$ " from two to three feet, at thirty five cents each. These trees are on good thrifty, root systems and the only reason they are not larger is on account of their being bud-ded late last year.  $\frac{1}{2}$ " good strong buds, at forty five cents each.  $\frac{5}{8}$ " at fifty five cents each.  $\frac{3}{4}$ " at sixty five cents each. We have a few two year old trees on which the price would be seventy five cents each.

The above prices are only for orders received within the next ten days, trees to be shipped before July 20th. A ten per cent deposit will hold the order.

Varieties - Walters, Excelsior, Marsh Seedless Grapefruit and Valencia, Lue Gim Gong, Pineapple and Parson Brown orange trees. Only absolutely first class stock will be shipped. Any other will be thrown away. We will guarantee the trees and will replace any that do not live if properly cared for.

We will make a special price on the following varieties of avo-cados, Fuerte, San Sabastian, Pueblo, Trapp, Pollock, and a few Nimlich, Panchoys and Northrops. The prices for this special sale will be - In thousand lots one dollar each - Five hundred lots or over, one dollar and ten cents each, In hundred lots, one dollar and twenty five cents each.

These plants are in good thrifty, vigorous condition and none but first class plants will be shipped. We are sure that the above prices on avocados will sell all we have in this special lot which we are selling out to make room for the new plants, so please send in your order soon for whatever you want. If your ground is not ready, we will hold the plants for thirty days, on a deposit of ten per cent.

Awaiting your reply and order, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE C. E. THOMAS NURSERIES.

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*C. E. Thomas* Manager.

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BRUEN-WEBB BUILDING, TAMPA, FLORIDA

## PRICE LIST

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Price list;

Season 1923-1924

U. S. Department of Agriculture.

### ORANGES, GRAPEFRUIT, LEMONS AND LIMES

All Standard varieties of Citrus Fruit Trees on rough lemon and sour orange roots as listed in catalog, except Tangerines and King Oranges.

	Each	10	100	1000
2 to 3 feet (sold by height only).....	\$ 0.70	\$ 6.00	\$ 55.00	\$ 500.00
½-inch caliper .....	.85	7.00	65.00	600.00
⅝-inch caliper .....	1.10	8.00	75.00	700.00
¾-inch caliper .....	1.40	11.00	100.00	900.00
Two-year buds, 1-inch caliper .....	1.65	13.50	125.00	1,150.00

### TANGERINE AND KING ORANGE TREES

#### On Rough Lemon and Sour Orange Roots

	Each	10	100	1000
½-inch caliper .....	\$ 1.10	\$ 8.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 700.00
⅝-inch caliper .....	1.30	10.00	95.00	900.00
¾-inch caliper .....	1.50	13.50	125.00	1,150.00
Two-year buds, 1-inch caliper .....	2.75	26.00	250.00	2,250.00

When a total of 500 trees are ordered, 1,000 rates apply.

All trees are cut back and defoliated when being shipped.

### AVOCADO TREES—ALL VARIETIES

	Crated
12 to 18 inches, in boxes .....	\$ 2.00 each
25 or more, 12 to 18 inches, in boxes .....	1.85 each
50 or more, 12 to 18 inches, in boxes .....	1.75 each
100 or more, 12 to 18 inches, in boxes .....	1.50 each
	Uncrated
1,000 or more, 12 to 18 inches, in boxes .....	1.25 each

NOTE:—The above price on thousand lots of Avocado trees is where they are shipped in box cars, where it is not necessary to crate them; or where the purchaser transports them from the Nursery. If it is necessary to crate them, an additional charge of fifteen cents (15c) each will be made.

Prices are F.O.B. cars at either of our nurseries. Always state whether to ship by freight or express. Terms are cash with order, when immediate shipment is ordered; or where trees are ordered reserved for future shipment at least 10% must accompany the order.

# ORDER SHEET

THE C. E. THOMAS NURSERIES,  
Tampa, Florida.

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Enclosed please find.....for.....for which enter  
my order and ship as follows in accordance with your catalog prices and terms:

Name .....

Address (fully) .....

Ship to .....

# Town

County \_\_\_\_\_, State\_\_\_\_\_

How Ship ..... When Ship.....

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